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Candidate's Name:

BROOKE ADAMS

Political Party:

INDEPENDENT

(DECLINE TO STATE)

THE FOLLOWING OPTIONAL INFORMATION WILL APPEAR WITH YOUR CANDIDATE STATEMENT (THIS INFORMATION IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE WORD COUNT):

Address: _____

Phone: () _____

949-500-4211

E-mail/Website: _____

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Brooke Adams

Candidate's Name: _____

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

Lead, follow or get out of the way.

The older generation, responsible for proper stewardship of California, has shown no leadership and no follow-through. It's time to let my generation take charge.

I'm 25, independent, a business executive with courage to fix what's wrong with California. Taking bold action, I'll rollback car taxes, fix worker's compensation, encourage business investment, reduce spending and set our state on the right course.

My administration will champion individual freedom, personal responsibility and smaller government. It's time to let a new generation of leaders control our destiny. I will work hard to make California great again.

The undersigned author of the above candidate statement hereby declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that such statement is true and correct.

Handwritten signature of Brooke Adams in cursive script.
Signature

Handwritten date 8/8/03.
Date

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Candidate's Name:

Douglas Anderson

Political Party:

REPUBLICAN

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Address: _____

Phone: () _____

E-mail/Website: ANDERSONFORGOVERNOR.ORG

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Candidate's Name: DOUGLAS ANDERSON

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

As Governor, I will address the majority of California's issues and opportunities in the next three years by focusing on eliminating the budget deficit by physical restraints on spending, reducing benefits to illegal immigrants and controlling the ever increasing cost of Worker's Compensation due to administrative waste and fraud. Furthermore, I will set the educational curriculum standards and closely monitor local control, eliminating the current "teach to test" method required for advancement.

As a husband, father, grandfather, businessman and a resident of California for the past 47 years, I have seen California go from one of the most progressive states in the nation to one of the least desirable business environments. High wage employers are leaving California and are being replaced by minimum wage employers which is lowering our tax base.

Our Educational system has plummeted to 47th in the nation.

My goal as Governor is to reinstate California as a national leader in Business, Education and restore personal freedoms.

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Douglas Anderson

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Candidate's Name: Badi Badiozamani

Political Party: Independent

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Address: 9185 Maler Rd.

San Diego, CA 92129

Phone: (858) 538-5381

E-mail/Website: Badi@badiforgovernor.org

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Candidate's Name. Badi Badiozamani

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

I am a Candidate From the People For the People. Twenty-two years ago you welcomed my family with open arms and allowed us to fulfill the American Dream. I am now ready to commit to you as a servant of the people. I have a strong affection and deep respect for the diversity, creativity, and ambition of the citizens of this state. I believe we have the capability to overcome our recent crises and claim our stake as a model for economic success and effective, progressive policy. My aim is to create an environment where we can thrive again by eliminating the barriers to our productivity. *I will rescind Governor's harmful policies such as the 300% car tax, streamline taxes, place priority on education, stop university tuition increases, and tackle the traffic that is choking our cities.* I will use my experience as a member of the City of San Diego Small Business Advisory Board and connection to a vast network of high-tech entrepreneurs across the state to enable a more business-friendly environment and create jobs while ensuring corporate responsibility. I will give a voice to those living without health-care and protect citizens against crime. I am an entrepreneur and a scholar with experience advising at the Governor level. I represent the common people and will bring unity across party lines. *I will revitalize government with a thoughtful, rational approach to planning and decision making that will allow this state to rise and shine strong as a truly Golden State.*

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Signature

B. Badiozamani
8/7/2003

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Candidate's Name: V i k r a m j i t s . B a j w a
Political Party: D e m o c r a t

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Address: 3000 S a n t a R o s a A v e .
S a n t a R o s a . C A . 95407

Phone: () 707- 544-6464

E-mail/Website: Govbajwa@ aol.com

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Candidate's Name Vikramjit S. Bajwa

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

Since the days of the Gold Rush of mid 1890's, its diversity of over 2 centuries, where over 148 different languages, being spoken everyday, we have but one thing in common- Dream and Success.

I am a recent Immigrant like you, my 3 kids are native Californians, Kamal and I thank God for being in California. I dream like Martin Luther King, for my Grand Children.

Please Vote for me and let us bring back the Glory of the Golden State. God Bless You and God bless California!

As John F. Kennedy said, ask not what the state can do, but What you can do for the state. My Childhood Hero!!

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Vikramjit S. Bajwa
Signature

8-07-03
Date

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Candidate's Name:

NEIL BAKER

Political Party:

NON-AFFILIATED

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Address:

P.O. BOX 121

GOLETA, CA. 93116

Phone: ()

E-mail/Website:

www.oceanchinampa.com

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Candidate's Name: NEIL BAKER

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

For the BEST realizable vision of
California's future:

www.oceanchinampa.com

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Neil Baker
Signature

AUG. 9, 2003
Date

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Candidate's Name

JEFFREY A. BACHMAN

Political Party:

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Address:

Phone: ()

E-mail/Website:

IMPORTANT: PERSON TO CONTACT REGARDING CANDIDATE STATEMENT

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The telephone and facsimile numbers for the candidate's contact person are critical to ensure communication between the candidate and Elections Division staff, especially during the tight time frame of the Statewide Special Election. These numbers will not be printed in the California Voter Information Guide:

Name:

Address:

Phone:

E-mail Address:

Fax:

Pager:

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Candidate's Name

JEFFREY A. BATCHMAN

Candidate Statement (250 word limit)

Statement

A native Californian, I was born in Pasadena in 1942. My parents, both in their 80's, were born in Fullerton, California and still reside there. I graduated from Fullerton Union High School in 1960 and Chico State College in 1966. I've been self employed since 1976. I am president of Exeter Engineering which I started in 1978. My company provides engineering services and manufactures sophisticated electro-mechanical sizing and grading equipment for the citrus and vegetable industry. Besides North America, we have exported equipment to most of Western Europe and numerous other countries. As well as anyone, I know the problems business faces in California.

Having lived here all my life, having raised a family here, having parents still living here, and now having grandchildren starting school in California, I've seen lots of change in California. California is no longer a great place to live. There is legitimate criticism regarding every part of our life the state has impacted. Partisanship has resulted in one terrible piece of legislation after another and our lives and schools and other infrastructure are examples. Everybody agrees we need change but we are going nowhere under our present administration.

My goal is to begin the change that will once again make California a destination for people and business, not a wasteland.

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Jeffrey A. Batchman

Date

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Candidate's Name:

JOHN BEARD

Political Party:

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THE FOLLOWING OPTIONAL INFORMATION WILL APPEAR WITH YOUR CANDIDATE STATEMENT (THIS INFORMATION IS NOT INCLUDED IN THE WORD COUNT):

Address:

5510 CLEON AVE
NORTH HOLLYWOOD CA 91601

Phone: ()

E-mail/Website:

johnbeard79@gmail.com

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Candidate's Name: JOHN BEARD

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

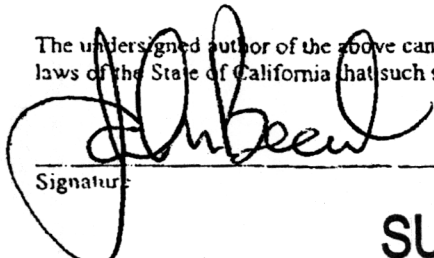
I am a second generation California businessman.
I believe that California needs to be led not litigated.
The way to turn the fiscal condition of California around
is to bring business back. California's financial
problems are not going to be solved by higher taxes.
It will be through the creation of a friendly business
environment that will keep busin^{ess}esses from leaving the
state.

I am totally committed to making California work.
I am raising my family, and growing my business here.

California has both a wonderful climate and a broad
cultural base, which makes it one of the best places on
earth to live and work.

JOHNBEARD4GOV.COM

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Signature: 

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Candidate's Name: Thomas Anthony Benigno

Political Party: Independent

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Address: 2334 California St.
Escalon, CA 95320

Phone: (209) 838-0876

E-mail/Website: citvoice@aol.com

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Candidate's Name: Thomas Anthony Benigno

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

Retired Farmer and Businessman
Resident of San Joaquin County

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Date

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Candidate's Name: ED BEYER

Political Party: Republican

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Address: 501 N. EL CAMINO REAL, SUITE #200

SAN CLEMENTE, CA 92672

Phone: (949) 212-1530

F-mail/Website: WWW.ELECTEDBEYER.COM

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Candidate's Name: ED BEYER

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

I love California. Born and raised in the best State in the union, California is and always will be my home. My life has been surrounded by a loving family and many supportive friends. I am married with two children and live in Orange County. During my career I have managed profitable business enterprise with one eye on the bottom line and the other looking toward the future. Managing a budget, expanding payroll, seeking better employee health benefits and increasing sales are the keys to a successful business. As the Chief Operations Officer of a successful California service company in business over 20 years, I have had the unique opportunity to respond to the changing needs of employees and business dynamics in today's economy. Increasing opportunity for my employees has always been and remains the hallmark of my career. There have been no other happier moments than watching an employee learn new skills, buy a car or finance a new home. These are the rights that I feel should be available to each and every Californian. As your Governor I will apply these experiences to increase corporate investment in the State thereby reducing unemployment while protecting our schools, air and water. I seek to lower taxes by increasing the number of workers, not by increasing fees or cutting needy programs. Health care for the elderly and poor families is a necessity, not a privilege. With your vote, together we can transform California into the state of opportunity.

The undersigned author of the above candidate statement hereby declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that such statement is true and correct.

A handwritten signature in black ink, appearing to read 'Ed Beyer', written over a horizontal line.

Signature

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Candidate's Name: VIP BHOLA

Political Party: REPUBLICAN

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Candidate's Name: VIP BHOLA

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

I am a husband, a father of two children, a trial attorney, and believe in Judeo-Christian principles. I am from an immigrant family, and worked my way through college and law school. I presently own my own business (law practice) and represent numerous business owners and people in the community and I understand their problems. Moreover, as an attorney, I am experienced in marshaling the top experts in their fields to resolve complicated and complex issues, both financial and otherwise. My wife and I are active volunteers in several non-profit organizations that strengthen youth, families, marriages, and teach financial responsibility. The basis for making my determinations will be: (1) what is best for California citizens and businesses; and (2) what is fiscally sound.

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Candidate's Name: Cheryl Bly-Chester

Political Party: Republican

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Address: 1000 Sunrise Ave. Suite 9B #122
Roseville, CA 95661

Phone: (916) 721-8339
cherylblychester@aol.com /

E-mail/Website: http://cherylblychester.com

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Candidate's Name: Cheryl Bly-Chester

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

California needs a timeout from politics to take care of business. I'm a pro-business, pro-environment, proven leader and small business owner of *Rosewood Environmental Engineering* who owes no political favors. Throughout my 27-year engineering career in transportation, energy and environmental fields; I've learned to hang tough and will not yield to political leverage. As an environmental expert, I can keep businesses in California by eliminating unnecessary regulatory duplication without risking public health or resources and will cut all nonessential commissions within the Governor's control. I'll repeal the new car tax for business/commuter vehicles. Credentials: BS Civil Engineering, UC Davis; MBA, American Graduate School of International Management; Certificate, Nuclear Power Reactor Safety, MIT; Registered Professional Engineer; Registered Environmental Assessor. Experience: (1976-1983) State engineering employee (CalDWR, Caltrans); (1985-1988) Consultant, electrical energy industry; (1988-2003) environmental consultant including Program Manager for hazardous waste cleanup contracts (largest with \$150,000,000 limit); President, Society of American Military Engineers, Sacramento Post (1999-2000) during Y2K readiness exercises. As a single mother of three wonderful children and classroom volunteer, I'm involved in their public education. I passed the teacher's CBEST exam and will protect education funding while holding educators accountable. My multicultural appreciation was developed through worldwide travel in 80+ countries. I'm Pro-Choice because it's not the government's business. Engineers don't lay blame, we methodically find solutions. Politics will find no foothold in my decisions as I slash State spending while maintaining homeland security, protecting the environment and improving education for Californians.

The undersigned author of the above candidate statement hereby declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that such statement is true and correct.

SUBJECT TO
ORDERED BY

Cheryl Bly-Chester
Signature

August 8, 2003
Date

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Candidate's Name: Audie Bock

Political Party: Democratic

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Address: P.O. Box 11073
Oakland, CA 94611

Phone: (510) 655-6580

E-mail/Website: bockisbetter@yahoo.com / www.BetterCalifornia.org

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Candidate's Name Audie Bock

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

As a State Assemblywoman I fought for better schools, a better environment and better health care for all Californians. I created the Select Committee on Low Performing Schools, established dioxin monitoring throughout California and served as the California Delegate to the World Trade Organization conference. I achieved a 100% pro-choice, pro-environment and pro-senior voting record. I've been nominated as "Legislator of the Year" by the School Board Association and the Federation of Business and Professional Women. As Governor I will tackle our high energy prices, sluggish economy and failing schools. I received my Master's Degree at Harvard. I'm a small businesswoman, published author and proud mother. I ask for your vote to create a better California for our children. My website: www.BetterCalifornia.org.

The undersigned author of the above candidate statement hereby declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that such statement is true and correct.

Signature

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read 'Audie Bock', written over a horizontal line.

Date

August 4, 2003

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Candidate's Name:

JIMEL BRITTON

Political Party:

N/A

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Address: 4229 S. CENTRAL AVE.
LOS ANGELES, CA 90011

Phone: (323) 333-9372

E-mail/Website: 74645L326@compuserve.com

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Candidate's Name:

JOEL BRITTON**Candidate Statement (250 word limit):**

I am a longtime trade unionist (having been a slaughterhouse worker - member of the United Food & Commercial Workers union and a refinery worker - member of the Oil, Chemical & Atomic Workers). I serve on the National Committee of the Socialist Workers Party and am its Southern California organizer.

I have actively opposed U.S. military interventions against the peoples of Vietnam, Cuba, Afghanistan, Iraq, Iran, and north Korea, joining millions around the world demanding "U.S. Hands Off! Bring the GIs home now!"

I have backed efforts to unite working people to fight for "Jobs for all! Cut the workweek with no cut in pay! Raise the minimum wage!"; "Stop INS raids and deportations -- end 'no match' firings!"; "Fight police brutality -- Abolish the death penalty!"; "Defend women's access to abortion!"; "Debt relief for working farmers! Stop foreclosures!"; "Defend affirmative action!"; "Stop Washington's economic war against Cuba! Normalize relations now!"

I have opposed Democratic and Republican moves to put the economic crisis of capitalism on the backs of working people. I'm for a workers' and farmers' government, which will abolish capitalism in the U.S. and join in the worldwide struggle for socialism.

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Signature

Date

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Candidate's Name: John Christopher Burton
Political Party: Non-Partisan (Independent, Decline to State)

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Address: 414 So. Marengo Ave.
PASADENA, CA 91101

Phone: (626) 449-8300
E-mail/Website: johncburton@socialequality.com / www.wsas.org

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Candidate's Name: John Christopher Burton

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

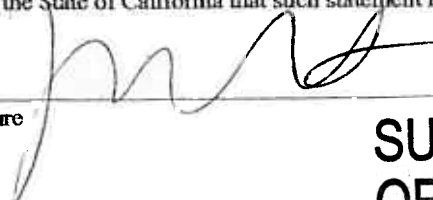
I am a civil rights attorney in Pasadena. My 25-year practice in California has been devoted to the defense of working people victimized by police misconduct and discrimination. I am also a political activist who supports the policies of the Socialist Equality Party.

My experience has made me aware of the economic and social problems confronting working people in California and the human costs of the state's budget crisis. I oppose all measures that propose to solve this crisis by placing new burdens on working people and small business owners. This crisis is caused by federal and state policies that serve the interests of multibillion-dollar corporations and the extremely wealthy. The recall campaign, which I oppose, is an attempt by right-wing forces to undermine democratic rights and accelerate the accumulation of corporate profits and the wealth of the rich.

But if the recall is successful, California's working people need an alternative to the pro-big business policies of the candidates associated with the Democratic Party. To obtain the resources necessary to guarantee full employment, provide universal health coverage, expand educational services and eradicate poverty, I advocate the transformation of large corporations and banks into publicly owned and democratically controlled utilities. The diversion of resources to finance aggressive wars must be stopped. The satisfaction of human needs, not the amassing of corporate profit, must be the basis of California's economy.

Voters can learn more about my program by reading the *World Socialist Web Site* (www.wsws.org).

The undersigned author of the above candidate statement hereby declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that such statement is true and correct.

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Signature

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Date

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Candidate's Name: Cruz M. Bustamante

Political Party: Democrat

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Candidate's Name: Cruz M. Bustamante

Candidate Statement (250 word limit):

See attached statement.

The undersigned author of the above candidate statement hereby declares under penalty of perjury under the laws of the State of California that such statement is true and correct.

Cruz M. Bustamante
Signature

8-8-03

Date

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Statement for Cruz Bustamante

For months, I've said I oppose the recall. I still do. But if you support my work as a university Regent and Trustee to win *fair admissions policies for every student without regard to race*; If you support my work as Chairman of the State Lands Commission to *protect our coast and rivers*; If you support my work as Lieutenant Governor to win *living wages*; If you voted for the bonds I've worked to place on the ballot to rebuild California's schools and roads under Project Labor Agreements; If you supported my *lawsuit against energy price-gougers like Enron*; If you agree that every Californian should have *health insurance they can afford*; If you think I was right to increase funding for *textbooks for every student*; If you believe that hardworking, taxpaying immigrants deserve the chance to apply for citizenship and reunify their families; If you've stood with me in support of farm workers; If you support equal opportunity and oppose any kind of discrimination; If you think I was right to appoint *the first lesbian legislator* to serve as Speaker Pro Tem of the Assembly; If you support my efforts to *protect privacy* from those who would sell it for profit; If you think *a woman's right to choose ought to be a matter between her, her doctor and her God*, not her insurance company... Then I am asking you to vote "No" on the Recall and "Yes" on Bustamante. I appreciate your consideration.

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